



*Waikiki Yacht Club*

*1599 Ala Moana Blvd  
Honolulu, Hawaii, 96814*

**NOTICE OF RACE**

**Waikiki Opening Day Beer Can Bash**

**February 18, 2023**

**1. RULES:**

1. The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*, the prescriptions of US SAILING, pertinent Class/Fleet Rules, the Waikiki Yacht Club Standing Sailing Instructions, this Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions.
2. The Racing rules will be changed as follows:
  1. Rule 52 is changed to allow the use of powered winches
  2. Rule 47 is changed to allow the use of banding for safety purposes
  3. Rule 63.2 and 63.4 do not apply.

**2. ADVERTISING:** Advertising will not be restricted.

**3. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY**

1. The regatta is open to all boats of the classes: X (PHRF $\leq$ 31), A (PHRF $>$ 31), B(PHRF $>$ 105), C (Cruising Class), Cal 20, and multihull, with skippers who are members of HYRA member clubs.
2. Yachts will be scored in a class if there are 3 or more entries
3. Eligible boats may enter by registering on Regatta Network by the skippers meeting:  
<https://www.regattanetwork.com/event/25649>

**4. FEES:** The entry fees for X, A, B, and Cruising will be \$25.00 and \$10.00 for Cal 20s

**5. SCHEDULE**

1. Regatta Network registration closes at the time of the skipper's meeting
2. Skippers' Meeting: 1145 Saturday, February 18<sup>th</sup>, 2023
3. First Warning: 1325 Saturday, February 18<sup>th</sup>, 2023
  1. Racing will be postponed until all entered boats have received the "Blessing of the Fleet" from the Opening Day VIP Boat and arrived in the starting area.
4. Number of Races: All fleets will have one race

**6. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS:** The Sailing Instructions will be available at the Skippers Meeting and on Regatta Network by February 1, 2023

**7. VENUE:** The Course Area will be off the south shore of Oahu

**8. COURSES:** Courses will be displayed by the Race Committee at or prior to the warning of the race as described in the Sailing Instructions

**9. SCORING:** The scoring system is as follows:

1. X, A, B, and Cruising will use PHRF Handicap rating systems as endorsed by HYRA
2. Cal 20s will use The Low Point Scoring System

**10. PRIZES:** Prizes will be presented at the awards ceremony

**11. FURTHER INFORMATION:** Contact - John Climaldi, WYC RC for Sail: (808)-687-1890  
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